

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS



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FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

No. 15-40333

United States Court of Appeals  
Fifth Circuit

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November 9, 2015

Lyle W. Cayce  
Clerk

Attest:

*Lyle W. Cayce*  
Clerk, U.S. Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit

D.C. Docket No. 1:14-CV-254

STATE OF TEXAS; STATE OF ALABAMA; STATE OF GEORGIA; STATE  
OF IDAHO; STATE OF INDIANA; ET AL

Plaintiffs - Appellees

United States District Court  
Southern District of Texas  
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v.

David J. Bradley, Clerk of Court

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; JEH CHARLES JOHNSON, Secretary,  
Department of Homeland Security; R. GIL KERLIKOWSKE, Commissioner  
of U.S. Customs and Border Protection; RONALD D. VITIELLO, Deputy  
Chief of U.S. Border Patrol, U.S. Customs and Border of Protection; SARAH  
R. SALDANA, Director of U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement;  
LEON RODRIGUEZ,

Defendants - Appellees

v.

JANE DOE #1; JANE DOE #2; JANE DOE #3,

Movants - Appellants

Appeal from the United States District Court for the  
Southern District of Texas, Brownsville

Before KING, SMITH, and ELROD, Circuit Judges.

J U D G M E N T

This cause was considered on the record on appeal and was argued by

counsel.

It is ordered and adjudged that the judgment of the District Court is reversed, and the cause is remanded to the District Court for further proceedings in accordance with the opinion of this Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that each party to bear its own costs on appeal.

***United States Court of Appeals***  
FIFTH CIRCUIT  
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January 04, 2016

Mr. David J. Bradley  
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United States District Court  
600 E. Harrison Street  
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Brownsville, TX 78520

No. 15-40333      State of Texas, et al v. USA, et al  
USDC No. 1:14-CV-254

Dear Mr. Bradley,

Enclosed is a copy of the judgment issued as the mandate and a copy of the court's opinion.

Sincerely,

LYLE W. CAYCE, Clerk

*Christina A. Gardner*

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